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Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: d) Yes e) No.
If Yes, brief description: _____.

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Identification of prior art discussed: 6,774,998.

Agreement with respect to the claims f) was reached. g) was not reached. h) N/A.

Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: Applicants presented arguments that the cited reference is different from the claimed invention. Examiner indicated that full consideration and more search will be given to arguments when it filed in a formal response.

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